

14 JUN 1977

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: John F. Blake  
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT: Signature Cards for the President's  
Official Portrait

1. Action Requested: It is respectfully requested that you take the necessary action to obtain the comments and signature of the President on the attached signature cards.

2. Background:

a. On the first floor of the Headquarters Building is an area, known as President's Row, where the official photographs of each of the Presidents are displayed, beginning with President Truman. Beneath each photograph, there is a comment about the Agency, along with the respective President's signature. In the past, the portrait of the President which has hung in the DCI Conference Room on the seventh floor has been treated similarly.

b. Some suggested comments are:

"I am impressed with the professionalism and responsiveness of the CIA. I think if all Americans knew what I know, there would be an alleviation of concern." (Paraphrase from the President's remarks at the Cabinet Family Presentation at the White House, 12 April 1977.)

"I have a much surer sense of making right decisions about our own national security because of my growing trust in the capability of the CIA...." (Excerpt from the President's remarks at the above-noted presentation.)

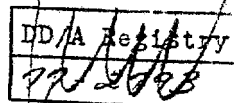
3. Recommendation: It is requested that you obtain the President's comments and signatures on the attached cards.

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John F. Blake

Attachments

Sharon/ Joyce -  
pls. Type this Memo for  
Siontra & SSUS Along  
with attached cards to  
the President's Office via  
EOB Guard Mail & Request  
Return to us. IN EOB.  
To Send Back to Mr. Buck



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*THE OFFICE of THE President*  
~~Director of Central Intelligence~~

~~FROM:~~

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~~Deputy Director for Administration~~

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4. ~~Recommendation:~~ In order to continue a tradition of long duration, it is requested that the President's signature and comments, if any, be obtained on the attached cards.

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~~John F. Blake~~

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*Stanford Turner*

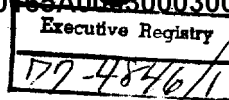
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FROM: DCI		
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Washington, D.C. 20505



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STANSFIELD TURNER

*Jack - please prepare these so  
Pres only has to sign - no letter to  
forward - I'll take in -*

DD/A Registry  
77-2793

Executive Registry  
77-4846

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[Redacted Signature Box]

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Remarks:

*Too long! App have  
someone phone me*



*14 June*

Date

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**REGISTRY FILE** *DDA*

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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)  
Signature Cards for the President's Official Portrait *DDA 14 77-4846*

FROM: John F. Blake *STA* [redacted] EXTENSION NO. DDA 77-3446  
Deputy Director for Administration [redacted] DATE

TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building) DATE RECEIVED FORWARDED OFFICER'S INITIALS COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)

1.	DCI <i>John F. Blake</i> [redacted]				<i>STAT</i> The DCI has specifically requested the attached. [redacted]
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